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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the specification as follows:

Page 1, after the title, please add the following new paragraph:

CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

This application claims the priority of Swedish Application No. 0002820-9, filed August 4, 2000, and claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/240,894, filed October 20, 2000, both of which are incorporated herein by reference.

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REMARKS

The examiner is respectfully requested to consider the above preliminary amendment prior to examination of the application.

If there are any fees due in connection with the filing of this amendment, please charge the fees to Deposit Account No. 06-0916. If a fee is required for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 not accounted for above, such an extension is requested and the fee should also be charged to our deposit account.

Respectfully submitted,

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